

SECOND DAY

(Thursday, June 15, 1972)

The Senate met at 11:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Jordan
Bates	Kennard
Beckworth	Kothmann
Bernal	Mauzy
Blanchard	McKool
Bridges	Moore
Brooks	Patman
Christie	Tippen
Connally	Schwartz
Creighton	Sherman
Grover	Snelson
Hall	Wallace
Harrington	Watson
Harris	Wilson
Herring	Word
Hightower	

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Senate Resolution 2

Senator Hightower offered the following resolution:

Whereas, More than 85,000 delegates are presently attending EXPLO 72 in the City of Dallas; and

Whereas, This week-long evangelistic training conference under the guidance of its Honorary Chairman, the Reverend Dr. Billy Graham, seeks to create a great movement of world history through the young people of this world; and

Whereas, The Texas Senate applauds and encourages all those involved in this worthy undertaking; and

Whereas, We are pleased to have a staff member of EXPLO 72, Mr. Robert Pittinger, with us today in the Senate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Mr. Robert Pittinger be invited to address the Texas Senate, 62nd Legislature, 3rd Called Session, at 11:45 a.m. on June 15, 1972.

HIGHTOWER
HERRING

The resolution was read and was adopted.

The President recognized Senator Hightower and requested that he escort Dr. Charles LeMaistre, Chancellor of the University of Texas, and Mr. Robert Pittinger to the President's Rostrum.

Senator Hightower presented Dr. LeMaistre, who introduced Mr. Pittinger to the Members of the Senate.

Mr. Pittinger then addressed the Members of the Senate concerning EXPLO 72 and invited the Members to attend the conference being held in Dallas.

Resolution Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

H. C. R. No. 1.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
June 15, 1972.

Hon. Ben Barnes, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 2, In memory of Policeman Antonio T. Canales.

H. C. R. No. 5, Commending the Honorable Robert W. Calvert.

H. C. R. No. 6, Congratulating the Van Horn High School Eagle Band.

S. C. R. No. 1, Inviting Governor Preston Smith to address a Joint Session at 11:00 a.m., June 14, 1972.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

**Communication From
Court of Criminal Appeals**

The following communication was read and referred to the Committee on Nominations:

December 20, 1971.

The Honorable Charles Schnabel
Secretary of the Senate
Capitol Building
Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Mr. Schnabel:

This is to advise that I have appointed Charles G. Shandera of Alvin, Texas, to fill the unexpired term of A. C. Turner on the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles. The appointment is effective on February 1, 1972. There is one year remaining in the unexpired term of Mr. Turner.

This appointment is made by me by virtue of the authority vested in me by Article 4, Section 11, Texas Constitution.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN F. ONION, JR.
Presiding Judge.

Communication From
Supreme Court

The following communication was read and referred to the Committee on Nominations:

June 14, 1972.

The Honorable Charles Schnabel
Secretary of the Senate
Capitol Building
Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Mr. Schnabel:

You are advised that on October 11, 1971, the Supreme Court of Texas appointed Honorable Phil Peden, Associate Justice of the First Court of Civil Appeals at Houston, to the State Judicial Qualifications Commission for a six-year term beginning November 19, 1971 and reappointed Honorable R. C. Vaughan, Judge of the 15th Judicial District Court of Grayson County to the State Judicial Qualifications Commission for a six-year term beginning November 19, 1971. We respectfully ask the consent of the Senate to these appointments.

Respectfully yours,
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS
By Robert W. Calvert,
Chief Justice.

Communications From
Attorney General

The following communications were read and referred to the Committee on Nominations:

June 14, 1972.

Honorable Charles A. Schnabel
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building
Austin, Texas

Re: Appointment of
Stuart Long to the
School Land Board

Dear Charles:

I am enclosing a copy of my letter of this date to the Secretary of State, appointing Mr. Stuart Long of Austin, Texas, as a member of the School Land Board.

This appointment is submitted to the Texas Senate for confirmation at the Special Session of the Texas Legislature beginning on June 14, 1972. I will appreciate your calling this matter to the attention of the Senate.

Sincerely yours,
CRAWFORD C. MARTIN
Attorney General of Texas

June 14, 1972.

Mr. Bob Bullock
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
Austin, Texas

Dear Mr. Bullock:

Acting pursuant to Article 5421c-3, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, I hereby appoint Mr. Stuart Long of Austin, Texas, as a member of the School Land Board for the unexpired portion of the two-year term of such office ending September 2, 1973. Mr. Long is now serving in such capacity.

You are requested to file this appointment in the appropriate official register of your office and to issue to said appointee the appropriate commission as provided by law, and to present such appointment to the Texas Senate for confirmation at the Special Session of the Texas Legislature beginning on June 14, 1972.

Sincerely,
CRAWFORD C. MARTIN
Attorney General of Texas

cc: Mr. Charles A. Schnabel
Secretary of the Senate
of the State of Texas
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas

Mr. Bob Armstrong
Commissioner of the
General Land Office
Archives & Library Building
Austin, Texas

Mr. Stuart Long
2nd Floor, Capitol Building
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas

Memorial Resolutions

S. R. No. 4—By Senator Brooks: Memorial resolution for Dr. Bob Wade Bland.

S. R. No. 6—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. Mae Byrd.

S. R. No. 7—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Harvey L. Breitzkreutz.

S. R. No. 8—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for James E. Lowery.

S. R. No. 9—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. Glenn E. (Doris) Conrad Lowe.

S. R. No. 10—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. H. M. (Sibyl) Lamour.

S. R. No. 11—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Billy O. Jones.

S. R. No. 12—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Sergeant Ben R. Jenkins.

S. R. No. 13—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for The Reverend W. O. Hopson.

S. R. No. 14—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Richard H. Glockzin.

S. R. No. 16—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for M. C. Meredith.

S. R. No. 17—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Dana D. Prince.

S. R. No. 18—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for William L. (Bill) Steele.

S. R. No. 19—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Roy C. Thompson.

S. R. No. 20—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. Frank Tucker.

S. R. No. 21—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. Anna Belle Brown.

S. R. No. 22—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Charles J. Brice.

S. R. No. 23—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for John Bledsoe.

S. R. No. 24—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for C. E. Bass.

S. R. No. 25—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for Mrs. A. D. (Blanche Taylor) Baggett.

S. R. No. 26—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for J. L. Adrian.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

S. C. R. No. 3—By Senator Herring: Extending congratulations to Austin Cerebral Palsy Center on its twenty-fifth Anniversary of Service to the citizens of Austin and Travis County.

S. R. No. 3—By Senator Aikin: Extending welcome to Mrs. William J. Thomas and Mrs. Bobby Thomas of Paris, Texas.

S. R. No. 5—By Senator Harrington: Extending congratulations to Miss Liz Wickersham on her selection as Miss Orange of 1971.

S. R. No. 15—By Senator Watson: Extending congratulations to John Mann Gardner II for his service to his fellow citizens in bringing about the return of passenger service to McGregor.

S. R. No. 27—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to Mike McManigal of Waco.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 12:00 o'clock m. adjourned until 11:00 o'clock a.m. Monday, June 19, 1972.

In Memory of
The Reverend B. M. Jordan

Senator Brooks offered the following resolution:

(Senate Concurrent Resolution 2)

Whereas, Citizens of the State of Texas were greatly saddened by the untimely death, on Sunday, June 11, 1972, of the Reverend B. M. Jordan, father of State Senator Barbara Jordan of Houston; and

Whereas, The Reverend Mr. Jordan suffered a stroke shortly after witnessing his daughter sworn in as Governor of Texas-for-a-Day on Saturday, June 10, 1972; he passed away only 24 hours after seeing his daughter become the first black woman in history to be the chief executive of a state in our nation; and

Whereas, The Reverend Mr. Jordan had been ill and had a heart condition, but he wanted so very much to see his daughter sworn in as Governor of Texas; he did see that historical event, and it marked one of the happiest and proudest days of his more than 63 years on this great earth; and

Whereas, A retired Baptist minister, the Reverend Mr. Jordan served as pastor at both the Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church in Thompson and Oak Hill Baptist Church in Pennington until his resignation because of ill health in 1971; and

Whereas, B. M. Jordan was not just the father of a woman who has given hope and inspiration to the people of Texas, but he was a man who gave hope and inspiration to the many thousands of persons to whom he ministered; he gave advice and inspiration to his daughter, without which she might never have achieved her position as Texas' first black woman Senator and chief executive; and

Whereas, This distinguished gentleman was a kind and loving citizen, a true man of God, whose life will long be remembered by his family, friends and fellow citizens as an example of the way in which all should conduct their lives; and

Whereas, The Reverend B. M. Jordan is survived by his wife; his daughter, Senator Barbara Jordan; and his daughters, Mrs. John McGowan and Mrs. Bennie Creswell, all of Houston; and

Whereas, The Texas Legislature wishes to pay tribute to the Reverend B. M. Jordan for his many contributions and guidance to the citizens of Texas, and to extend sympathy to Senator Jordan and the members of her family in their time of sadness; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the 62nd Legislature, 3rd Called Session, the House of Representatives concurring, That this Resolution stand in memory of the Reverend B. M. Jordan, outstanding citizen, respected and beloved gentleman, and dedicated minister; and, be it further

Resolved, That official copies of this Resolution be prepared for Senator Barbara Jordan and the members of her family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Legislature of the State of Texas.

BROOKS
WALLACE
SCHWARTZ

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Ben Barnes; Aikin, Bates, Beckworth, Bernal, Blanchard, Bridges, Christie, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Harrington, Harris, Herring, Hightower, Kennard, Kothmann, Mauzy, McKool, Moore, Patman, Sherman, Snelson, Tippen, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent, the names of the Lieutenant Governor and Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

On motion of Senator Brooks, the resolution was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.